

## Political Cards

## A. C. HOUGH

Democratic Candidate for  
State Senator  
for Josephine County  
Seventh Senatorial District

## A. E. VOORHIES

Republican Candidate for  
Representative  
for Josephine County, Seventh District

## EUGENE L. COBURN

Regular Republican Nominee  
for  
County Clerk

## ECLUS POLLOCK

Regular Republican Nominee  
for  
Assessor

## MRS. ALICE M. BACON

Merlin, Oregon  
Democratic Nominee for  
County  
School Superintendent  
Holder of state life certificate. Ex-  
perience in all school work

## J. C. SMITH

Regular Republican Nominee  
for  
State Senator

Friendship is love with a phlegmatic  
disposition.

Old rags are used in making imita-  
tion leather.

One of its moons circles Mars every  
seven hours.

Tuberculosis was known in Egypt  
1,500 years ago.

Coffee beans are sorted not only for  
size, but for color.

Fifty vocations are taught in the  
United States navy.

Iron rings were used as money by  
the ancient Britons.

Switzerland spends more on poor re-  
lief than does any other country.

Packing seldom used silverware in  
dry food will prevent tarnishing.

New Zealand has a waterfall, the  
Sutherland, which is 1,904 feet high.

The highest speed at which elevators  
at present are operated is about eight  
miles an hour.

There are more insane in the United  
States than there are students in col-  
leges and universities.

Wisconsin was a part successively of  
Indiana, Illinois and Michigan before it  
was made a state in 1848.

Mrs. Newlywed (coyly)—How did  
you come to propose to me? Mr. New-  
lywed—I walked, my dear.

"I don't believe in signs."  
"I do. I make my living painting  
'em."—Baltimore American.

"One of the bells in a Paris cathedral  
weighs twenty tons, and its acces-  
sories add another ten tons.

"Is your wife economical?"  
"Very. See the clothes she makes  
me wear."—Detroit Free Press.

Health is the second blessing that  
we mortals are capable of, a blessing  
that money cannot buy.—Waltou.

The California wren is so different  
from any other bird of America that  
it is placed in a genus and family all  
its own.

Finland has an area of 144,240 square  
miles, of which one-sixth is water, ow-  
ing to the innumerable lakes in the in-  
terior of the country.

The suburban service of the various  
railroads entering New York bring ap-  
proximately 1,000,000 persons daily to  
business in Manhattan.

The sea elephant uses its trunk to  
seize its prey and to transfer food to  
its mouth just as it does its brother  
which roams the land.

## PORTLAND MARKETS

Portland, Oct. 7.—Today's market  
quotations were:

Wheat—Club, 1.32; bluestem,  
1.39.

Oats—No. 1 white feed, 28.25.  
Barley—Feed, 33.50.

Hogs—Best live, 9.65.  
Prime steers, 7; fancy cows, 5.50;  
best calves, 7.

Spring lambs, 8.75.  
Butter—City creamery, 37; coun-  
try, 28.

Eggs—Selected local extras, 40.  
Hens, 14; broilers, 15@17; geese,  
11@11 1/2.

Copper, 28 1/2.

## LELAND

Col. Blaisdell, of Portland, made a  
business trip to his mines down Grave  
creek last week.

Mr. Hinkle, of Portland, is visiting  
the DeVall family.

Mrs. Warren McCormack, from  
Selma, is visiting her mother, Mrs.  
Decker, this week.

Mrs. Robert Blalock, of Rogue  
River, was calling on friends in  
Leland last week.

Misses Mabel and Maud Walters  
have gone to Klamath Falls, where  
they have employment.

Roy Reed went to Marcola to work.  
Fred Fretwell, of Glendale, came  
over Friday to visit his brother,  
James.

Fred Ellis returned home Sunday  
from Kennett, where he has spent  
some time working at the Mammoth  
mine.

Mrs. Amy Klum and daughter,  
Edith, motored to Wolf Creek last  
week on business.

The Southern Pacific company has  
finished the painting of its buildings  
in Leland.

Rev. Frank Gloeckner, of Grants  
Pass, came to Leland Thursday and  
will hold services in the school house  
Friday evening.

A pleasant surprise birthday party  
was given in honor of Mrs. E. L.  
Ellis Tuesday evening, September 26,  
the guests bringing cake and fruit,  
which were served with coffee by the  
hostess. Several nice presents were  
received. The evening was spent in  
dancing and visiting. Those present  
were Mr. and Mrs. John DeVall, Mr.  
and Mrs. Henry Miller, Dr. and Mrs.  
Nehrbas and two children, Mr. and  
Mrs. John McCaslin and three chil-  
dren, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ellis, Mes-  
dames Geo. Strong, Amy Klum, Anna  
Orme, Musick, Martha Stevens;  
Misses Edith Klum, Rose and Dor-  
thea DeVall, Inez Williams, Eunice  
Pruitt, Beryl and Inez Light, Eliza-  
beth Miller, Ruth and Sylvia Walters,  
Emmaline Musick, Margaret Strong,  
Adah Morrison, Vera Farr; Messrs.  
Mart DeVall, Henry Walters, Sam  
Reed, Carl Karg, Lory Miller, Roy  
Gearhart, Vernon Strong, Donald  
Miller, Stan Morrison, Tom Maloney,  
Sam, Will and Charlie Alderson,  
James Fretwell, Francis and Cecil  
Critzler, Charlie and Wm. Ellis, Geo.  
Walters.

It is unfortunate that it is so, but it  
is so, that the paths for going wrong  
are planted so prettily with flowers at  
the beginning.

In the Samoan Islands is a breed of  
cattle the bulls of which seldom  
weigh more than 200 pounds and the  
cows 150 pounds.

The mission fathers brought the  
olive and the date from the Mediter-  
ranean regions and gave California one  
of its most important crops.

Locust eggs, treated with sulphuric  
acid and lime, are used for fertilizer in  
Sicily and other Mediterranean lands  
where the insects are common.

No matter how the roads turn you've  
got to travel one of 'em, so keep yer  
wits about you when you get to the  
choosing place.—Atlanta Constitution.

A man has no more right to say an  
uncivil thing than to act one; no more  
right to say a rude thing to another  
man than to knock him down.—John-  
son.

Customer—What do you mean by  
that sign, "Shaving Politicians, 25  
Cents?" Barber—That's because it  
takes more time to shave a man with  
a long face.

The flowers of the foxglove plant re-  
semble the fingers of a glove. The  
term foxglove is said to be a corrup-  
tion of the term "folk's glove" or  
"fairy's glove."

Most of the carpets made in India  
are woven by boys, who are told by  
men watching them how many knots  
of each color to tie to the warp, a sin-  
gle row at a time.

The Magistrate—The officer says you  
have no employment or trade of any  
kind. The Vag—He's got me wrong,  
your honor. I'm a rock breaker emer-  
itus for the state.—Puck.

PLACE PETITIONS  
THROUGH COUNTY

The petitions for the county free  
library are now placed throughout  
the county and at the four drug  
stores in the city.

The argument for a county free  
library is efficient service, equality of  
service and economy; while read-  
ing matter for recreation is an im-  
portant factor upon the farm and  
in the mine and lumber camps. It is  
the aim of the county free library  
to reach the remotest districts with  
free literature. This can only be  
brought about by securing a repre-  
sentative petition. These petitions  
should all be signed prior to Octo-  
ber 20.

Following are the places where the  
petitions may be found throughout  
the county:

Alameda—J. R. Entriiken.  
Dryden—Mrs. W. Mastin.

Galice—H. T. Keyte.  
Golden—W. D. McIntosh.

Holland—Mrs. H. B. Reed;  
Smock's store.

Hugo—W. McKenzie.  
Kerby—J. Q. Willits.

Leland—Mrs. A. A. Porter.  
Merlin—Editha Vincent.

Murphy—Mrs. D. Hayes; Gilmore's  
store.

Placer—Mrs. J. Anderson.  
Provoit—Mrs. S. Langwalt.

Selma—H. E. Christy.  
Speaker—L. Speaker.

Takilma—G. B. Fife.  
Three Pines—Ira Vanderbilt.

Waldo—Mrs. B. Dysert; Sunshine  
club.

Wilderville—Mrs. C. F. Lovelace.  
Williams—Mrs. S. Stratton.

Wolf Creek—Mrs. E. F. Story.  
Wonder—J. T. Roberson.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the  
County Court will consider bids for  
the construction of a court house for  
Josephine County, Oregon, to be  
erected at Grants Pass, Oregon, ac-  
cording to plans and specifications on  
file in the office of the county clerk  
at Grants Pass, Oregon, and at the  
office of E. E. McClaren, architect,  
525 Lumber Exchange building, Port-  
land, Oregon.

Plans and specifications will be  
furnished on deposit of \$5, which  
will be refunded on or before three  
days after date of receipt if the same  
are returned in good condition.

All bids must be filed on or be-  
fore 10 o'clock a. m. of the 2nd day  
of November, 1916, in the office of  
the County Clerk of Josephine  
County, Oregon, and be accompanied  
with a certified check of 5 per cent  
of the amount bid, made payable to  
E. L. Coburn, County Clerk, as per  
clause in specifications, as guarantee  
that a bond will be given and a con-  
struction contract signed.

The Court reserves the right to re-  
ject any and all bids, or award the  
contract according to the best inter-  
ests of the County.

By order of the County Court of  
Josephine County, Oregon.

E. L. COBURN,

County Clerk.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Notice is hereby given that the  
County Court will consider bids for  
the moving of the present court  
house of Josephine county, Oregon,  
according to specifications on file in  
the office of the County Clerk, at  
Grants Pass, Oregon, and at the office  
of E. E. McClaren, architect, 525  
Lumber Exchange building, Portland,  
Oregon.

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## At the Churches

## Bethany Presbyterian Church

The Sabbath school and morning  
service will be merged in one begin-  
ning at 10:30 o'clock. Program by  
the children, three-minute speeches  
by prominent laymen, fine music un-  
der the direction of Mrs. Harry Clark  
and a short sermon by the minister.  
This is the annual rally day of this  
congregation and all are welcome.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30; Miss  
Clara Calhoun, leader. All young  
people invited.

Evening service at 7:30; sermon,  
"Every Man a Master."

Your presence will be appreciated.  
L. Myron Boozer, Minister.

## Baptist Church

The Sunday school rally is still on,  
and yet their is room. Fifty new  
members so far—make it a hundred  
today.

This is the first Sunday of our  
church year, and every member  
should be in the service today. The  
pastor will preach on themes appro-  
priate for day. Good musical pro-  
gram at both services.

Miss Nettie Fitzgerald will lead the  
B. Y. P. U., at 6:30.

A kindly welcome to all.  
S. A. Douglas, Pastor.

## Newman M. E. Church

Preaching at 11 a. m. by Dr. M. C.  
Wire, of Newberg. Musical program  
by the choir, in charge of J. S. Mac-  
Murray.

At 7:30 p. m. the pastor will  
preach on the subject, "The Prevail-  
ing Israel." Anthem by the choir  
and solo by Miss Genevieve Pattillo.  
Sunday school at 10 a. m. Sam H.  
Baker, superintendent.

Intermediate and Epworth leagues  
at 6:30 p. m. Herbert Wilkin, leader  
of Epworth league meeting.

Please note change of hour of even-  
ing services to 7:30 o'clock.

You will find a cordial welcome at  
all these services.

Melville T. Wire, Pastor.

## Christian Church

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.

Service, 11 a. m.; sermon, 11:30,  
"Advice Upon Prayer."

Communion, 12.

Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.

Service, 7:30 p. m.; sermon, 8  
p. m., "Overcoming Spiritual Depres-  
sion."

J. H. Harmon.

## St. Luke's Church

The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity.  
Holy Eucharist at 8 a. m.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Morning prayer at 11.

Evening prayer at 7:30.

Mrs. Knapp is choir director and  
will sing the offertory.

You are cordially invited to these  
services.

Rev. Charles Wilson Baker, Rector.

## First Church of Christ Scientist

Christian Science services are held  
every Sunday, in the W. O. W. hall,  
at 11 a. m. Wednesday evening meet-  
ings at 8 o'clock. The subject for to-  
day is "Are Sin, Disease, and Death  
Real?" The reading room is open  
daily from 2 to 4 p. m., except Sun-  
day. The public is cordially invited  
to attend the services and to visit the  
reading room.

Water that issues from an artesian  
well in California is accompanied by  
enough natural gas to supply power to  
pump it a considerable distance.

By feeding silkworms with mulberry  
leaves saturated with nonpoisonous  
dyes two French scientists succeeded  
in getting red and blue raw silk.

"Things are so contrary in life."  
"Indeed they are. I find the more  
I am run down the faster my doctor's  
bills run up."—Baltimore American.

According to the United States bu-  
reau of standards, cloth measuring  
tapes should not be relied on to pos-  
sess an accuracy better than one part  
in 500 or 1,000.

One of the newer crops is automo-  
bile corn, characterized in brief as any  
field full of weeds that have grown up  
while the owner was dashing about in  
his new motorcar.

Make the best of everything; think  
the best of everybody; hope the best  
for yourself. By so doing you will be  
lifting yourself and those about you to  
a higher plane of living.

The male heart weighs from ten  
ounces to twelve ounces. Its average  
size is about five inches long, three  
and one-half inches wide and two  
inches in greatest depth.

The largest Spanish chestnut tree in  
the world grows on the slopes of  
Mount Etna. It is said that 100 sol-  
diers and their horses once found shel-  
ter beneath it from rain.

Envelopes printed at the Courier.



"We have with us to-night--"

As welcome at the midnight spread as at the break-  
fast table the

## ELECTRIC TOASTER

meets the approval of the discriminating. It is not only attrac-  
tive in appearance and easy to use, but it produces toast the  
superior of that prepared by any other method. For toast for  
Welsh rarebits, creamed chicken or similar light dishes at any  
time, the G-E toaster means instant, easily controlled heat.  
No need of "bringing up" the fire.

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ACKERMAN IS FOR  
PENDLETON MEASURE

HEAD OF MONMOUTH NORMAL  
SAYS ONE SCHOOL CANNOT  
SUPPLY DEMAND FOR TEACH-  
ERS.

Monmouth, Ore.—A careful analy-  
sis of the situation will convince any  
one that Oregon needs a Normal  
School in Eastern Oregon and also  
one in Southern Oregon," said J. H.  
Ackerman, President of the State Nor-  
mal School at Monmouth. "It is a  
well-established fact that a centrally  
located Normal School cannot supply  
the needs of the entire state. The  
need of a Normal School in Eastern  
Oregon is readily proved by the most  
curious investigation of the list of our  
students and the list of our graduate  
teachers. The estimated population  
of our state in 1914 was 795,557. Take  
for example the eight Western Oregon  
counties, Clatsop, Clackamas, Benton,  
Lane, Linn, Marion, Polk and Yamhill  
Counties. Their population for 1914  
was 214,608, or less than 27 per cent  
of the total population of the state;  
yet 50 per cent of the graduates from  
our Normal School for the past five  
years are teaching school in some one  
of these eight Western Oregon coun-  
ties. There are 35 counties in the  
state, yet eight of these counties are  
getting half of the benefit of the  
teachers for which all of the counties  
pay the taxes.

Here is the list. During the past  
five years we have supplied the fol-  
lowing graduates as teachers to these  
counties:

Clatsop, 18; Clackamas, 20; Ben-  
ton, 25; Lane, 36; Linn, 23; Marion,  
28; Polk, 25; and Yamhill, 20. In  
other words, 203 of our 407 teachers  
who have secured places in the public  
schools in Oregon during the past five  
years, have gone to these eight Wil-  
lamette Valley counties.

Now take eight typical Eastern Ore-  
gon counties and see if they have se-  
cured their proper share of teachers  
with Normal training. During the past  
five years we have supplied Normal  
graduates as follows to these Eastern  
Oregon counties:

Baker, 9; Grant, 1; Harney, 4; Mal-

heur, 2; Morrow, 4; Umatilla, 10;  
Walla, 7; and Wheeler, 2.

The eight Willamette Valley coun-  
ties had 203 Normal teachers as  
against 39 Normal teachers for the  
eight Eastern Oregon counties. East-  
ern Oregon received less than 10 per  
cent as against Western Oregon's fifty  
per cent.

Horses have been known to live forty  
years.

There are 56,000 seeds in a bushel of  
wheat.

The world's richest tin mine is one  
in Tasmania.

There is no weather on Mars, only a  
change of seasons.

Roasted coffee is an excellent disin-  
fectant for sickrooms.

Only about one man in each 206 ex-  
ceeds six feet in height.

New South Wales devotes 5,138,000  
acres to wheat growing.

The art of candy making originated  
with the Chinese long ago.

The annual catch of lobsters in the  
world is about 125,000,000.

Each whale carries about half a ton  
of whalebone about with him.

Myling head, in the Faroe Islands, is  
a sheer precipice piling up 2,299 feet in  
height.

The average child of six years uses  
fewer than 400 words in his daily con-  
versation.

A falcon trained to carry messages  
has been known to cover 750 miles in  
sixteen hours.

It is in the lungs that our blood be-  
comes red. Before it gets there it is  
of a dark purple color.

Employer—Can you write shorthand?  
Applicant—Oh, yes, only it takes me  
longer.—London Notes

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you fresh—it  
moves off the  
grocer's shelf  
so rapidly.

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is "Just Right"

## SUCCESS.

Believe me, the talent of suc-  
cess is nothing more than doing  
what you can do well and doing  
whatever you do without a  
thought of fame. If it come at  
all it will come because it is de-  
served, not because it is sought  
after. And, moreover, there will  
be no misgivings, no disappoint-  
ment, no hasty, feverish, ex-  
hausting excitement.—Longfel-  
low.